ORDINANCE NO. 2019-0-40

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF STEPHENVILLE, TEXAS, ADOPTING THE CITY OF STEPHENVILLE'S YOUTH PROGRAMS STANDARDS OF CARE AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City of Stephenville administers day camps and programs for children ages six to twelve years old; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Subtitle D. Department of Family and Protective Services; Child Welfare and Protective Services, Chapter 42 Regulation of Certain Facilities, Homes, and Agencies that provide Child-Care Services, the City of Stephenville seeks to adopt an annual Standards of Care in accordance with Chapter 42, Section 14. and

WHEREAS, as required by the Code, on December 3, 2019, the City Council of the City held a public hearing at its regular meeting to gather input from citizens on the proposed Youth Programs Standards of Care.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF STEPHENVILLE, TEXAS:

Section 1

The City Council of the City of Stephenville herby adopts the Youth Programs Standards of Care, attached hereto as Exhibit "A" for all intents and purposes; and

Section 2

A copy of the Youth Programs Standards of Care shall be available for review on the City's website and in person at the Stephenville Recreation Hall; and

Section 3

The City of Stephenville is hereby directed to provide a copy of the program standards, a notice of a public hearing, and a copy of the ordinance adopting the standards to the Texas Department of Family and Protective Services.

Section 4

If any portion, section, or part of a section of this ordinance is subsequently declared invalid, inoperative or void for any reason by a court of competent jurisdiction, the remaining portions, sections or parts of sections of this ordinance shall be and remain in full force and effect and shall not in any way be impaired or affected by such decision, opinion, or judgment.

Section 5

This ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its passage.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS THE 3RD DAY OF DECEMBER, 2019.

Doug Svien, Mayor

ATTEST:

Staci L. King, City Secretary

Reviewed by Allen Barnes,

City Manager

Approved as to form and legality by

Randy Thomas, City Attorney